

AGENDA ITEM: CLSA Statewide Data Base**GENERAL OVERALL PROGRAM UPDATES:**

CURRENT STATUS: The CLSA Statewide Data Base Program continues to support resource sharing throughout the State.

Contributions to OCLC

Following early data collection efforts which led to the production of a microfiche catalog, the California Library Services Board selected OCLC in 1984 as a service utility to provide the CLSA Data Base online. Contributions of records and holdings are made to OCLC under a variety of contractual agreements with California public libraries. The number of holdings records at the end of each of the five previous quarters were:

June 2000	18,655,155
September 2000	18,795,529
December 2000	19,090,463
March 2001	19,285,942
June 2001	19,523,175

During the twelve months prior to the middle of June 2001, 868,020 holdings records were added to OCLC at an average of over 72,335 records per month. The latest holdings report from OCLC is attached as Exhibit A to this agenda item.

At its June 2001 meeting the Library of California Board approved continuing the OCLC and Z39.50 annual subsidies for public libraries and CLSA cooperative library systems in 2001/02. In addition, the Board approved allocating any CLSA Statewide Data Base funds not required for the annual subsidies for competitive grants to public libraries for retrospective conversion, catalog record enhancement, and Z39.50 server software acquisition.

Announcement and application packets for the subsidies and grants have been sent to California's public libraries and cooperative library systems. Exhibit B contains the public library OCLC and Z39.50 subsidy announcement and application; Exhibit C contains the cooperative library system announcement and application; and Exhibit D contains the public library grant announcement and applications.

RELATED ISSUES TO COME BEFORE THE BOARD IN THE FUTURE:

1. Update on 2001/02 subsidy claims.
2. Update on targeted one-time grants.
3. Update on OCLC California public library holdings.

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